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Re: Patent Application  
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Applicant: Scott M. Kirkwood  
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Dear Sir/Madam:

This letter is to request a status report on the captioned patent application. Our file reflects that the filing receipt is the only communication we have received from your office concerning this application.

Would you please advise us immediately as to the status of this application.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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